



PREPROPOSAL STATEMENT OF INQUIRY

CR-101 (June 2004)

(Implements RCW 34.05.310)
Do NOT use for expedited rule making

Agency: Department of Revenue

Subject of possible rule making:

NEW SECTION: WAC 458-16-1000 Property belonging exclusively to federally recognized Indian tribes

Statutes authorizing the agency to adopt rules on this subject: RCW 84.36.010, RCW 84.36.865, and Laws of 2004, chapter 236

Reasons why rules on this subject may be needed and what they might accomplish: This rule describes the property tax exemption that may be claimed by a federally recognized Indian tribe for property exclusively used for essential government services in accordance with the 2004 changes to RCW 84.36.010. The rule explains the parameters of the exemption, how the exemption may be obtained, how a tribe may appeal a denial of the exemption, how essential government services is defined, and provides applicable examples.

Identify other federal and state agencies that regulate this subject and the process coordinating the rule with these agencies: None

Process for developing new rule (check all that apply):

- ☐ Negotiated rule making
☐ Pilot rule making
☐ Agency study
☒ Other (describe) Modified negotiated rule making

How interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule and formulation of the proposed rule before publication:

Written comments may be submitted by mail, fax, or at the public meeting. Oral comments will be accepted at the public meeting. A preliminary draft of the proposed changes is available upon request. Written comments on and/or requests for copies of the rule may be directed to: Nathan Schreiner or Kim Qually, Legislation and Policy Division, P. O. Box 47467, Olympia, WA 98504-7467; phone: Nathan (360) 570-6136 or Kim (360) 570-6113; FAX (360) 664-0693.

Public meeting location:

Capitol Plaza Building
4th Floor – L&P Large Conference Room
1025 Union Avenue SE
Olympia, Washington

Date: Thursday, September 2, 2004 **Time:** 10:00 a.m.

Assistance for persons with disabilities: Contact Sandy Davis no later than 10 days before the hearing date.
TTY 1-800-451-7985 or (360) 725-7499

Date
July 29, 2004

Name (type or print)

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Title
Rules Coordinator

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